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# MCC gets two mobile toilets

*A HPCL official is seen handing over the letter of donating two mobile toilets to MCC Commissioner Shilpa Nag and Mayor Pushpalatha Jagannath at MCC premises on June 13.*

Mysuru, June 18 (RK&BCT)- Sanitation is a massive problem in India, both in the urban and rural context. With increasing population, the problem is growing. Open defecation and lack of facilities in the urban regions has created a situation that needs urgent attention.

As a solution to this ever-growing problem, the Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) has come up with an idea of asking industrialists to donate mobile toilets. And responding positively, the Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited (HPCL) has donated two mobile toilets under its Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) funds to the MCC. The Civic Body is planning to procure over 100 such toilets.

Throughout the year, Mysuru city hosts many mega events like Dasara, Open Street Festival, Yuva Dasara, Yoga Day, Food Festival, Flower Show and other events. During these events, it is the responsibility of the MCC to provide sanitation and drinking water facilities.

Such mobile toilets are useful especially in mega events when there is no provision for toilets around venues.

(See TOILETS on page 9)

# No radiation therapy at K.R. Hospital; cancer patients in a quandary

*The defunct radiation therapy machine at K.R. Hospital.*

Mysuru, June 18 (MTY&SR)- As many as 60 cancer patients, who have been availing the critical radiation therapy treatment for various forms of killer cancer disease at Radiation, Oncology and Cancer Unit in the State-run K.R. Hospital, are not receiving any treatment. Reason: The radiation machine installed at the Hospital is under repair since the last 10 days.

Economically poor cancer patients from Mysuru, Mandya and Chamarajanagar were availing radiation therapy treatment for lung, breast, brain and other cancers at the unit since the last few months. Now they are just bearing the pain as the machine is defunct. The doors of the radiation unit have been closed and patients are turned away.

The machine is worth Rs.5 crore and patients are now forced to undergo radiation therapy at other private hospitals and they say that the treatment at private hospitals was not affordable.

Speaking to *Star of Mysore*, Resident Medical Officer (RMO) Dr. Rajesh said that the Dean and Director, Mysore Medical College & Research Institute (MMC&RI), has already written a letter to the State Government to repair the machine. The company which manufactures and supplies this machine has quoted Rs.35 lakh for repair.

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# IMA Jewels Scam: Red Corner Notice likely on Mansoor Khan

Mysuru/ Bengaluru, June 18 (RK&KS)- The Special Investigation Team (SIT) probing the multi-crore I Monetary Advisory (IMA) Jewels scam is likely to seek the help from the Centre to issue a Red Corner Notice to trace and extradite IMA Managing Director Mohammad Mansoor Khan.

Mansoor is reported to have fled the country after Eid on June 5 along with his family and huge quantity of gold ornaments, silver jewellery, diamonds and unspecified amount of cash.

"We are on the lookout for Mansoor Khan and will seek Interpol's help through the Union Home Ministry to extradite him to India after ascertaining in which country he is hiding," SIT sources said this morning.

An Interpol notice or a Red Corner Notice is an international alert circulated by Interpol to communicate information about crimes, criminals, and threats by Police in a member State to their counterparts around the world.

Meanwhile, the Mysuru City Police have received over 1,678 complaints from the victims of the blade company and the money that was invested by Mysureans in the ponzi schemes floated by IMA has crossed Rs.63 crore.

Till yesterday, in Devaraja Sub-Division jurisdiction, 1,226 complaints have been lodged at Udayagiri Police Station, three in Nazarbad and six at Lashkar Police Station.

(See IMA JEWELS on page 9)

STAR PUNCH By Satish Acharya

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# Bugged by *burnout*

**A call has been given by the top brass in the Nation's Government during the first meeting last week of NITI (National Institution for Transforming India) Ayog, its policy think tank, established with the aim of achieving sustainable development *goals* and enhancing co-operative federalism of State Governments across the country to make India a five trillion (lakh crore) dollar economy in a span of next quinquennial. Major contribution to the success in pursuing the daunting task is expected from the country's youth, accounting for almost half its total head count. Given their intellectual faculties and age advantage of physical fitness, the land's stock of human resources is raring to go, all set not to belie the hope of the Government of the day and the nation's diaspora. The only snag threatening the march to prosperity is paucity of a critical mass of leaders in the country's Legislatures and Executive wings of the Government. The fear that bugs the *aam admi* is the resultant feeling of burnout among the youth, barring exceptions.**

**A former President of the Nation often prescribed to the younger sections of the country's population to dream and set goals in life setting examples of enthusiasm at workplace. One has reason to believe that his prescription has received positive response from the country's youth at large in recent years. The momentum thus generated, resulting in the emergence of hundreds of start-ups, augurs well for coming days.**

**The tragedy is not that the country's youth is being lured by the loud-mouthed *vote-seekers* away from the path of living to achieve intellectual excellence, economic prosperity of the country and professional perfection in their chosen callings, but the tragedy is that the voice of society's mentors has tended to be feeble, if not dying. Worse still is the dominant influence of *outfits* radicalising the youth, including sections coming out of the land's Universities, exciting them with *ideals* stoking hatred of humanity itself. The seeds of intolerance in its ugliest forms have been sown along with the cunning and crafty vote-seekers watering the seeds to germinate, growing into robust trees.**

**As an acclaimed author has opined, ideals, not just goals of happiness, can prevent burnout and labour inspired by an *ideal* does not result in lack of enthusiasm. The onus of nurturing the capabilities of the land's youth rests on the shoulders of the rest in the Nation, particularly the law-abiding citizenry.**

## EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

VICTORY IS FOR BELIEVERS: ***Some people are enthusiastic but they lack patience. Some are patient but lack enthusiasm. Ninety percent of youth have enthusiasm but most do not have much patience. They react instinctively. Because they lack patience, they do not attain what they set out to do. Similarly, the elderly generally have patience. Through life experiences, they have acquired patience, discernment and intelligence. But they lack enthusiasm. If you ask them why this is so, they will say that they are physically weak, and that they cannot move as quickly. But look at toddlers. They have both enthusiasm and patience. When they try to stand, they fall. They try again and fall again. Nevertheless, they do not give up. Even if they hurt themselves, they do not let up on their efforts. As a result of their zeal and patience, they are eventually able to stand.*** — *Mata Amritanandamayi in The New Sunday Express*

## NEWS SPARKLERS

### Man pays $9,100 for a villa but gets 30cm-wide lawn!

Florida: A South Florida Man thought he had bought a villa in his $13,000 bid in an online auction, turned out he grossly overpaid for a 30cm by 3m strip of land worth $50.

Kerville Holness, a first-time auction bidder, couldn't believe his eyes when he saw that his $9,100 bid for a villa in South Florida's Spring Lake community had been declared the winner. However, everything came crashing down when he learned that what he thought was the bargain of a lifetime turned out to be a cruel joke. It turns out poor Kerville overpaid for a narrow strip of land that starts on a curb and goes under a wall separating two villas and then out to the back of the lot.

Although the appraiser's site and information on the county's tax site states that the land has no building values, the buyer claims that the photos used on the auction site were deceptive.

### Swarms of flies invade Russian village

Lazorevy: Lazorevy, a village in Russia's Urals region, has been invaded by giant swarms of flies after a local farmer allegedly used chicken droppings as natural fertilizer in his fields, which acted as a perfect breeding ground for the insects. The owner of the chicken farm admitted to supplying the bird droppings to the farmer, but said it was normal practice, blaming the fly invasion on bad luck.

The roads of Lazorevy have become living carpets of flies that rise into horrific swarms every time they are disturbed, locals sweep buckets of dead flies from their homes every day, and some people are even afraid to go outdoors because the tiny insects are virtually everywhere.

The recent fly invasion has been described by most as a living nightmare, and despite the best efforts of residents and local authorities to wipe out the unwanted guests, the flies are breeding so fast that humans can't keep up.

## HEALTH CAPSULE by Bron Smith

### How much sugar does the average American consume?

The average American consumes 126 grams of sugar each day. That's equivalent to 3 12-oz cans of soda, and more than twice the recommendation of the World Health Organisation. It's no wonder diabetes has reached epidemic proportions.

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## Two women wrestlers from city for National Championship

*Lavanya*

*Meghana*

Mysuru, June 18- Two upcoming women wrestlers N. Lavanya (62kg), studying in GSC High school, Mysuru and R. Meghana (60kg), studying in DMS HS, Mysuru, will be representing Karnataka in the 2nd U-15 National Wrestling Championship (free-style) to be held at Kota (Rajasthan) from June 18 to 21.

The two wrestlers practice at University Lions Hall, Mysuru and are coached by former SAI & UoM's wrestling coach L. Manjappa and city's well-known wrestler Shankar Chakravarthy.

## UoM offers M.Tech in Materials Science

Mysuru, June 18- University of Mysore (UoM) is offering application-oriented interdisciplinary technology-oriented M.Tech course in Materials Science sponsored by the University Grants Commission (UGC).

The course is open for B.E/ MBBS/B.Tech /B.Pharma/BDS/ B.Sc (Ag), M.Sc. and any B.Sc. degree holders. The total number of seats is 30 — 15 seats will be allotted to scheme 'A' and remaining 15 to Scheme B'. The curriculum will be taught by senior Professors from Physics, Chemistry, Biotechnology, Microbiology, Polymer Science and Earth Science Departments. The course is run at Vijnana Bhavan in Manasagangothri.

The University has established this unique Centre equipped with all the sophisticated instruments required for teaching and research in Materials Science and Nanotechnology. The course details can be obtained from the Office in person or from Co-ordinator Dr. S. Srikantaswamy on Mob: 94482-75348 or Ph: 0821-2419444.

## Really...?



- ***Hanuman temple in Jagnewa:** A hand pump located inside the premises of an ancient Hanuman temple in Uttar Pradesh is visited by hundreds of people irrespective of their religion every day. Reason: Its water is said to have miraculous healing powers. Hindus, Muslims and people from other religions have been lining up before the hand pump, installed within the gate of the Hanuman temple in Jagnewa village of Jalaun district. According to locals, the hand pump's water recently turned miraculous after a saint from Madhya Pradesh "infused it with therapeutic properties."*

## LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

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***Mulla Nasrudin: WELL, YES AND NO...!!***

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## VOICE OF THE READER

# Languages in curriculum and their importance

Sir,

I felt very happy to learn that M.R. Siri of Marimallappa School

*M.R. Siri*

climbed a step higher, after revaluation of her papers in English, Maths and Hindi *(SOM* dated June 12). I would like to congratulate Siri and her parents Raghunath and Sindhu, both teachers, on their combined success.

Getting cent percent marks in Maths does not surprise me these days, as it does amaze me when these kids do it in languages. Siri has sent a very clear message to her peers that your crown of glory does not ALWAYS come through Science or Maths. Performance in languages really matters, if you pay some attention to languages too.

I have spent more than forty-five years trying to train students in English. My observation is that students of "X STD" and "PU" and their parents are always serious about Science and Maths. So is the attitude of many Science teachers who prepare them.

It is a considered opinion that trying to score well in languages is always a sheer waste of time. Siri, as you can see, has proved that attitude very wrong and very costly. An achievement as great as the one that pushed Siri to become State Second Topper (624/625) is because of her respect to the study of languages. We all know one mark difference does not diminish her distinction in anyway.

Let us wish her great future which is waiting for her. As a humble language teacher (English in my case) I would like to make one point clear to all the waiting students of X Std. and PU and their parents. Please do not belittle the role of language in your efforts to succeed.

Your attitude to languages need not be disrespectful just because they are not considered for CET etc. You will all know, as Siri has demonstrated beyond doubt, that every aspect of knowledge has its own power and importance.

**All these kids, H.K. Thejas, Nirantara Dinesh and Sinchana are as great as Siri. They all deserve great accolades.**

**— Prof. K.V. Satyan**
V.V. Mohalla
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# Power disruption tomorrow

Mysuru, June 18- Owing to emergency repair works at 66/11 KV Chamundeshwari Power Line Centre coming under 66/11 KV GIS Kalamandira Power Distribution Centre, power supply will be affected on June 19 from 10 am to 6 pm in following areas in the limits of V.V.Mohalla CESC Division: Saraswathipuram First Main to Fifth Main, New Kantharaj Urs Road, K.G.Koppal Main Road, University Quarters, Muslim Hostel and surrounding areas, according to a press release from V.V. Mohalla CESC Division Executive Engineer.

# TP meeting

Mysuru, June 18- The general meeting of Mysuru Taluk Panchayat (TP) chaired by its President Kalamma Kemparamaiah will be held on June 19 at 11 am at Mini Vidhana Soudha (Room No. 212) in city, according to a press release from Taluk Panchayat Executive Officer.

## Yoga for MCC staff

Mysuru, June 18- As part of Fifth International Day of Yoga, the MCC Corporators and its employees will take part in the yoga rehearsal organised on June 19 at 6 am in front of Mysore Palace.

# Book release, Kavi Goshti on June 29

Mysuru, June 18- Senior writer B.P. Ashwath Narayan's book titled *Sahitya Sangama* and Journalist Ranganath Mysuru's book *Kannada Gandhi* will be released at a programme jointly organised by Hoysala Kannada Sangha and Savigannada Pathrika Balaga, marking the 74th birthday of renowned writer and columnist Prof. K. Bhyravamurthy at Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha on JLB Road in city at 4.30 pm on June 29.

Prof. Bhyravamurthy will be felicitated on the occasion.

Renowned Paediatrician Dr. H.B. Rajashekar will inaugurate the programme in the presence of Melukote Vangipura Nambi Mutt Seer Ilai Alwar Swamiji.

Scholar Dr. Malali Vasanthkumar will release the book *Kannada Gandhi* while veteran writer Dr. C.G. Ushadevi will release the book *Sahitya Sangama.*

Prof. Bhyravamurthy will deliver a talk on Kannada activist late N. Nagalingaswamy.

Late Nagalingaswamy's wife Nagamma, his associate Auto Satya, young Kannada activist Arvind Sharma and Kannada Kranti Dal's Tejaswi Kumar will be felicitated on the occasion.

The book release programme will be followed by a *Kavi Goshti* titled *Ambi Kavya Namana,* organised in memory of late actor Ambarish.

Only 25 poets will be allowed to take part in the *Kavi Goshti.* Those interested may contact Mob: 98457-91252.

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## NEWS BRIEFS

### Demo of solar powered vehicles

Karnataka Renewable Energy Development Limited (KREDL), Government of Karnataka, with the objective of spreading awareness among students about conservation of fossil fuels and use of renewable energy, has arranged demonstration of solar-powered vehicles for school and college students in Mysuru, Chamarajanagar, Mandya, Hassan and Kodagu. Head of the Institutions and NGOs, interested in availing this facility, may contact Ph: 0821-2421046 or Mob: 94806-91046.

### Talk on 'Vedic Mathematics'

A talk on 'Vedic Mathematics' by Vasista Eduventures Director B. Shilpa has been organised in the premises of Institution of Engineers-India (IEI), Mysuru Local Centre, on JLB Road, in city at 6 pm on June 19. IEI Mysuru Chairman Dr. R. Suresh will preside. Hon. Secretary D.K. Dinesh Kumar will be present.

### Hostel admission

Kumabarara Sarvajanika Vidyarthi Nilaya Trust has invited applications from Kumbara community students studying degree and professional courses for admission to the free hostel run by the Trust in Kuvempunagar. Kumbara community students should apply along with required documents by the end of this month. [96115-99514 or 99161-41201]

Ganigara Vidyarthi Nilaya, Saraswathipuram, has invited applications from Ganiga community students studying PUC, Degree, PG, Diploma, Engineering and other professional courses, for admission to the hostel. Application form can be collected from the hostel office. For details, call Mob: 97402-29184 or 91415-18901.

### Theatre camp

Apravarambe Raviranga Makkala Rangashaale has stared a six-month theatre camp for children. Interested children can contact Mob: 93414-93458 or 96328-41700 for admission. The theatre classes will be held every Saturday and Sunday at Nrupatunga Kannada School in Ramakrishnagar. The camp will conclude on January 2020.

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# Linguistic diversity on show as new members take oath in LS

## Mysuru-Kodagu MP Pratap Simha stands out in Kodava traditional attire

New Delhi, June 18- Linguistic diversity of India was on full display in the Lok Sabha yesterday when newly elected and re-elected members took oath in their mother tongues as the 17th Lok Sabha commenced proceedings.

Going a step further, some Parliamentarians including Mysuru-Kodagu MP Pratap Simha and Bengaluru South MP Tejasvi Surya were dressed in traditional attires. While Simha wore a Kodava traditional dress, complete with Kupya, Chele and Peeche Kathi, Surya was dressed in silk dhoti, white shirt and a saffron shalya.

Prime Minister Narendra Modi, Home Minister Amit Shah and Defence Minister Rajnath Singh took oath in Hindi while many MPs preferred to do so in various regional languages.

Pratap Simha, Tejasvi Surya, Parliamentary Affairs Minister Pralhad Joshi and Union Chemicals and Fertilizers Minister Sadananda Gowda, Mandya MP Sumalatha Ambarish, Hassan MP Prajwal Revanna, Bengaluru Rural MP D.K. Suresh, all hailing from Karnataka, took oath in Kannada.

*Mysuru-Kodagu MP Pratap Simha in traditional Kodava attire poses for a photo with Vijayanagar First Stage Corporator M.U. Subbaiah and M.B. Gappana in New Delhi yesterday.*

While most of the 28 MPs from Karnataka (25 from BJP) took oath in Kannada, the exception was Union Minister Suresh Angadi, MP from Belagavi, who preferred to take oath in English. When Sumalatha, who trounced Karnataka CM H.D. Kumaraswamy's son Nikhil Kumaraswamy in Mandya, walked into the Well of the House to take oath, she received a loud applause.

Union Health Minister Harsh Vardhan, an ENT surgeon, left other MPs in the House surprised when he completed his oath in Sanskrit. Ministers of State Ashwini Kumar Choubey and Pratap Chandra Sarangi also took the oath in Sanskrit. Uttara Kannada MP Anant Kumar Hegde also took oath in Sanskrit.

It was a surprise to many when Congress MP Kodikunnil Suresh from Kerala chose to take oath, not in English or his mother tongue Malayalam, but in Hindi.

Food Processing Minister Harsimrat Kaur, who had taken oath in English as Union Minister on May 30, yesterday preferred to take oath in Punjabi. Union Cabinet Minister Rameshwar Theli and Kripanath Mallah, and Naba Kumar Saranai took oaths in Assamese. Raiganj MP Debasree Chaudhuri took oath in Bengali and Silchar MP Rajdeep Roy also took oath in Bengali. Shiv Sena MP and Cabinet Minister Arvind Sawan used Marathi to take his oath while Union Minister Shripad Yeso Naik used Konkani to take oath.

Pratap Simha, who added a bit of colour to the proceedings by turning up in traditional Kodava attire, said that as he represents Mysuru and Kodagu that has a unique and distinct culture, it was his duty to reflect the same in the Parliament.

He said that his wife Arpitha Simha coaxed him to wear the Kodava dress. "For us Kannadigas, Kannada is not just a language. The entire culture and our feelings are encompassed within the language. Likewise for Kodavas, their language, attire, culture and practices is everything. I am proud of representing the Kodava culture in Parliament," he said. "Many people whom I met in this August House have appreciated my dress," the MP added.

# Will not spare anyone involved in IMA scam: M.B. Patil

*M.B. Patil*

Mysuru, June 18 (RK&DM)- Asserting that the Government will not spare anyone involved in the IMA (I Monetary Advisory) jewels scam, Home Minister M.B. Patil said that the Government will do its best to render justice to investors.

Speaking to press persons after taking part in the Passing Out Parade of Jail Warden probationers at the Central Jail premises here yesterday, Patil said, currently a Special Investigation Team (SIT) has been formed by the Government probing the scam, in which thousands of investors have allegedly lost huge sums of money.

Maintaining that the SIT will conduct a thorough investigation and arrest all those involved, no matter how big or influential they are, Patil said that the nature and volume of the scam will be known only after the SIT completes the probe.

Reacting to MP Shobha Karandlaje's remarks targeting him, Patil said that he respects Shobha as a woman and he would not like to react much on her statement.

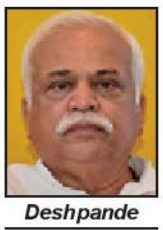
On the BJP's demand for a CBI probe into IMA Jewels scam, the Home Minister said that the SIT was more than capable of investigating the case. Stating that he has much belief in the State Police, Patil said that it was the State Police force which cracked M.M. Kalburgi and Gauri Lankesh murder cases.

The Home Minister also wondered what all had happened to the cases probed by the CBI earlier.

Referring to the alleged nude parading and assault on a dalit youth at Gundlupet in Chamarajanagar district, the Minister asserted that the Coalition Government was very much with dalits and there was no question of sparing or going soft on the culprits.

Maintaining that there was no question of shielding anyone in the case, the Minister said that, however, the innocents must not be punished and it is the responsibility of the State to render justice to the victim.

# Act to be amended to curb ponzi firms



*Deshpande*

Bengaluru, June 18- With the IMA (I Monetary Advisory) Jewels scam, in which thousands of investors have lost huge sums of money they had deposited with the firm, hitting the national headlines, the State Government has decided to make an amendment to the existing Act to curb ponzi and fly-by-night companies, which lure gullible investors.

The Karnataka Protection of Interest of Depositors in Financial Establishments Act, 2004 (KPI DEFINE Act) will be amended at the next Legislative Session to initiate action against fraudulent financial companies, that lure investors by promising big returns in a short span of time.

The Act came into effect in 2005 to protect investors from financial firms that were not covered by RBI guidelines.

Meanwhile, Revenue Minister R.V. Deshpande, speaking to press persons in Bengaluru yesterday, said that the State Government is looking at setting up fast track courts for ponzi cases.

Admitting that there were several loopholes in the system, which have to be plugged, the Minister said that fast track courts for ponzi cases is one of the reforms that the Govt. is looking to bring in and added that empowerment of investigating agencies is also among other reforms.

According to sources, there are about 17 ponzi companies facing trial in the State.

# CM visits family of farmer

## who ended life after making selfie video

K.R. Pet, June 18 (NG&DM)- Chief Minister H.D. Kumaraswamy (HDK) this morning visited Aghalaya village in K.R. Pet taluk, where a debt-ridden farmer ended his life on Monday after making a selfie video appealing the CM to attend his last rites.

*Suresh*

Yesterday, 50-year-old farmer Suresh, who was reportedly unable to repay debts, had ended his life by hanging self from a tree near his farmland. Before taking his life, Suresh had made a self video, wherein he had claimed that he was an ardent fan of Kumaraswamy and that he should attend his last rites.

Suresh had also urged the CM to fill all water bodies in Santhebachahalli hobli limits and thus come to the rescue of distraught farmers, who are worried over drought and failing crops.

The family members of Suresh came to know of the video only when they returned home after the conduct of his last rites later in the afternoon. The video went viral later, it is learnt.

*Chief Minister H.D. Kumaraswamy handing over a cheque for Rs.5 lakh as compensation to the wife of deceased farmer Suresh at the farmer's house in Aghalaya of K.R. Pet taluk this morning.*

CM Kumaraswamy, perhaps moved by the distressed debt-ridden farmer's plea, visited Aghalaya, where he inspected the water bodies. He directed the authorities to take immediate measures for filling up the lakes in the area, which is drought-prone.

Later, Kumaraswamy visited the home of the deceased farmer Suresh and consoled his family members, when the villagers appealed the CM to provide a Government job for a family member of Suresh. The CM gave a cheque of Rs.5 lakh as compensation and assured of a Government job to the deceased farmer's son and also meeting the educational expenses of his (Suresh) daughter, it is learnt.

District Minister C.S. Puttaraju, K.R. Pet MLA Narayanagowda and others were present.

## Obituary

**Devamallu**

Mysuru, June 18- Devamallu (71), a private bus driver and a resident of Srirampura, passed away on Saturday following heart attack.

He leaves behind his wife, four children and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were performed at the foot of Chamundi Hill, according to family sources.

**Lakshmamma**

Lakshmamma (80), wife of S. Nanjegowda and a resident of Vijayanagar 2nd Stage, passed away last night in city. She leaves behind her husband, three sons, daughters-in-law, grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were performed at Chirashantidhama in Gokulam this afternoon.

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# Karnad: One man who was many men

## Point of VIEW

T.J.S. George

Many things will be said, and more remembered in silent wonderment, about Girish Karnad, who appeared as one person but was in fact a congregation of identities — actor, playwright, director, essayist and, never forget, Urban Naxal. He was a shaper of his times. He made seminal contributions to the literary heritage of his country and, disturbed by the gathering clouds of sectarianism, turned an activist influential enough to invite death threats. He ignored them.

Girish Karnad was a personification of the courage that came from convictions. Wearing a placard round the neck with the legend, *"Me too Urban Naxal,"* was his way of standing up for rationalists who had fallen to assassins' bullets — Dabholkar (2013), Pansare (2015), Kalburgi (2015). "Accusations against rationalists are a complete hogwash," said Karnad. "It is scary because they believe they can do what they want... If speaking up means being a Naxal, then I am an Urban Naxal. I am proud to be part of the hit list."

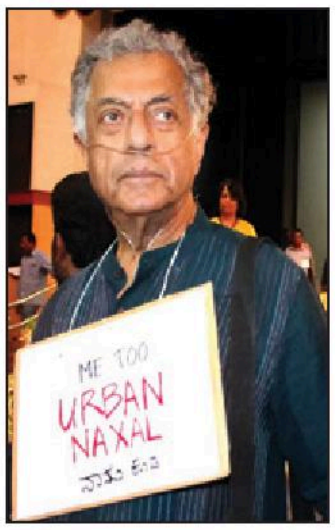
Like all men of destiny, Karnad gave to the world more than he took from it. (Indeed, he seemed to take nothing at all, no gun salute, no religious rituals, no public functions, on his departure.) He gave to theatre and cinema more than one man's fair share. He went on to play his role as citizen as well, pushing forward causes that needed advocacy.

He was lucky to blossom in what was India's best time, the 1950s - 1960s quarter century. By mid 1970s unfamiliar political trends would start crushing the spirit of India, reaching climactic points from the 2010s when intolerance, the very opposite of the *Sanatana Dharma* foundations of the idea of India, would take centre stage and turn India into a collection of mutually suspicious little Indias. Karnad became part of the creative tide that took India to marvellous heights in the early stages of that period. In the disruptive years, he walked bravely into realms where angels feared to tread.

The blossoming years were inspirational. His generation was rich with creative minds that raised questions without pretending to answer them. It was indeed a nest of singing birds - Badal Sarkar (born 1925) in Bengali, Mohan Rakesh (1925) in Hindi, Vijay Tendulkar (1928) in Marathi and in Kannada, B.V. Karanth (1929), U.R. Ananthamurthy (1932) and P. Lankesh (1935). Two signature qualities helped Karnad (born 1938) to rise to his own heights. The first was the versatility of his talent that made him shine in acting, writing, cinema, direction and television in addition to drama. Lankesh was the only contemporary who showed similar ambidexterity, adding also poetry, fiction and journalism to his repertoire. Yet, Karnad soared higher because of his other signature quality: The ability to make his plays go beyond Kannada and to build for himself an international profile through a series of leadership roles in Pune, Delhi, London and Chicago.

With Ananthamurthy, his collaborative association went deep. Ananthamurthy's classic *Samskara* was turned into a film in 1970 with Karnad doing the screenplay and Patabhirama Reddy directing. It was a trend-setter marking the start of parallel cinema in Kannada and the *navya* (renaissance) movement. When *Tughlaq* was published in English, Ananthamurthy wrote the introduction in which he said, "There is no play in Kannada comparable to *Tughlaq* in depth and range."

Was *Tughlaq* Karnad's best play? It certainly was the most celebrated. For one thing, its appearance in Kannada in 1965 was followed by Hindi, Bengali, Marathi and English performances. Somewhere in some form it has been getting continuously staged. For another, the play reflected disillusionment over Nehruvian dreams, thus giving it a contemporary relevance that was perceptive. But it was Ebrahim Alkazi who turned *Tughlak* into a magisterial splendour with his staging of it amid the ruins of *Purana Qila* in Delhi in 1972.




Ultimately, though, it was Karnad's boundless imagination that made him a playwright without parallel. Who else could think up a cobra in love with a woman? Or a horse reciting the National Anthem? Or the hullabaloo caused by two decapitated men who get their heads fixed back but on the wrong bodies? And also, who else could think of demanding that the Bangalore International Airport be named after Tipu Sultan? Karnad had his share of eccentric ideas. But what emerged through it all was a man who was unselfish. That is a rare distinction these days.

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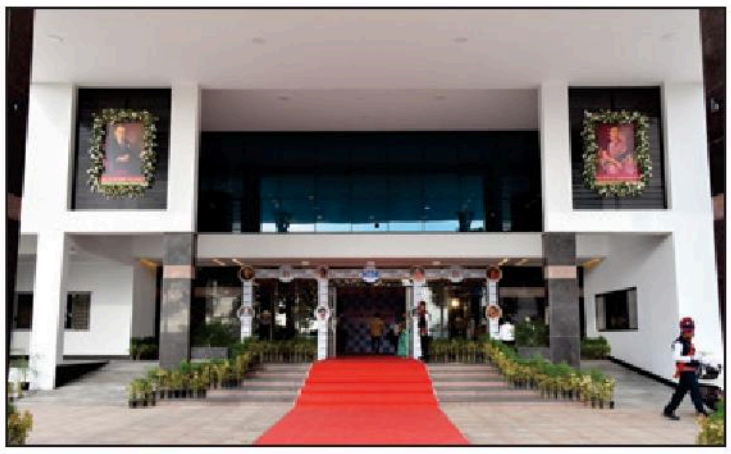
# Risky Business

Agriculture is a profession of patience and it is important to take risks at times. Apart from the time, labour and financial investment, passion is an important attribute to be successful. This is the season of Jamun (Indian Blackberry) fruit and tonnes of fruits are brought into the city daily from various places including Bengaluru, Nanjangud and Rammanahalli and surrounding areas. Jamun trees usually reach a height of 30-35 feet and bear fruits for 60 to 70 years after planting.

The photographs show what risks are involved in picking the fruit. A person is seen using a narrow bamboo ladder to climb the tree *(see pic. alongside)* to collect the delicate fruits inside the campus of All India Institute of Speech and Hearing (AIISH) opposite Manasagangothri. While he must be careful while picking berries without damaging the fruit, he must doubly be careful with the ladder so that it does not slip. Another photo *(below)* shows a seller offering Jamun fruits to buyers on the ever-busy Lalitha Mahal Road. There are more than 50 such vendors selling the fruit on this particular stretch and at times, they cause traffic jams.

# Multi-Speciality Kamakshi Hospital opens



*Sri Ganapathy Swamiji and Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji lighting the lamp to inaugurate the new Kamakshi Hospital at J.P. Nagar yesterday as Trustee Dr. K.R. Kamath, Managing Trustee M. Mahesh Shenoy, MLAs C.T. Ravi and S.A. Ramdas, Corporator M.V. Ramprasad and others look on.*

Mysuru, June 18 (SBD&NNN)- The Multi-Speciality Kamakshi Hospital, J.P. Nagar, threw open its doors to the public yesterday.

Avadootha Datta Peetham's Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Swamiji and Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji inaugurated the hospital.

Later, speaking at the stage programme, Suttur Seer said everyone was aware that this was a common man's hospital. Kamakshi Hospital in Saraswathipuram has been rendering service since over four decades and now its second unit is inaugurated on a Full Moon Day which is considered very auspicious. But this does not mean that the number of patients admitted in the hospital should grow. It should not only be a centre of treatment of patients but I wish that the people are also given advise on how to stay healthy, wished the Swamiji.

The family of B. Madhava Shenoi (founder of Kamakshi Hospital) has always been known for its charitable and pro-poor service. It is due to the noble desire of Sulochana Bai that the Kamakshi Hospital in Saraswathipuram was started which is now rendering yeoman service. In the development of the hospital, the service of Dr. K.R. Kamath, who has been there since its inception, is very remarkable, he said.

Everyone loves street food and the food street near Jaganmohan Palace is not only filled with common people but I also see Mercedes Benz and Audi cars parked with the rich too savouring the delicacies. The medicines that were given in the past were bitter to taste but the sick were being cured. However, now-a-days the sweet taste on the tongue is more important and as a result more people including the rich are going to hospitals. Hence, everyone should concentrate on their health. If one breathes clean air, eats healthy food and drinks pure water then one can keep illnesses at bay, said Suttur Seer.

Sri Ganapathy Swamiji, who also spoke, said that Dhanavanthri, the Hindu God of Medicine, is depicted carrying ambrosia in one of the four hands. A Doctor is called a Upabrahma, who is responsible for rebirth of a patient. He has the power to recreate. Hence, many Mutts, Ashrams and organisations render medical services. Similarly, Kamakshi Hospital is also known for high quality health care.

Lauding the selfless service of Shenoi family, the Swamiji said that just like Lord Hanuman in *Ramayana* brought the entire *Sanjeevini Parvatha* when he was asked to bring a few medicinal herbs and how the Devatas guarded him, similarly there are many unseen hands who are rendering service in Kamakshi Hospital like Dr. K.R. Kamath.

Former Medical Education Minister and MLA S.A. Ramdas said that many hospitals are started only with the idea of fleecing the patients and they have come to be known as 'Blade Hospitals.' However, till now no one has complained that Kamakshi Hospital is an expensive or costly hospital. The B.S.M.S Trust is committed to providing healthcare to the poorest of the poor, he added.

**Govinda Rao Double Road**

On the occasion, MLA Ramdas announced that the road in front of the new Kamakshi Hospital in J.P. Nagar will be named after Philanthropist late Govinda Rao (one of the Trustees) for his unforgettable contributions to the society just like the road in Saraswathipuram was named after Kamakshi Hospital. The work on the Double Road at an estimated cost of Rs. 1.5 crore will commence within a week, he added.

Former MLA Vasu said that the erstwhile rulers of Mysore, the Wadiyar dynasty, had always concentrated on the spiritual aspect, health, education and *Anna Dasoha* (feeding the poor). Through Gunamba Trust set up by the Wadiyars then, free bread and milk was being provided to lactating mothers and their children. Later, the Mutts and Ashrams followed this tradition to serve in the field of health and education.

In the Administration Board of the Hospital, all the Trustees have their own business interests. They devote a portion of their earnings for social service. This hospital is a no profit, no loss venture. It goes to show that the Shenoi family even today continues to uphold values, honesty and integrity, Vasu said.

Kamakshi Hospital Managing Trustee M. Mahesh Shenoy welcomed. Shruthi Ashoka spoke about the Hospital. Sparsha Shenoy rendered the invocation. Nikitha compered. Those who had completed 35 years of service in Kamakshi Hospital, Saraswathipuram, were felicitated on the occasion.

Joint Managing Trustee M.Ashok Shenoy, Trustees M.P. Shankar Shenoy, M. Vishwanath Rao, Dr. K.R. Kamath, M. Jagannath Shenoi, M.Gopinath Shenoi, M. Gajanana Shenoy, M.Manoj Shenoy, Medical Superintendent Dr. C. Umesh Kamath, General Manager Prasanna Kumar and others were present.

## Seers bat for doctors' protection

Mysuru, June 18- Both Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Swamiji and Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji came out in strong support of the striking doctors, who had called for a nationwide protest yesterday.

They were speaking after inaugurating the Multi-Speciality Kamakshi Hospital, J.P. Nagar and strongly felt that the doctors' lives are as important as the patients and the assault on the doctors throughout the country was a very worrying aspect.

Suttur Seer said everyone hopes that once one is admitted to the hospital for treatment he or she returns completely cured. Likewise the doctors also make all efforts to save the patient's life. Even then sometimes if the patient is not able to survive, then the relatives start assaulting the doctors. Fearing such attacks a time has come now to close the hospitals. It is God who is the final arbiter of saving or taking away one's life. Hence, even the doctors put all their faith in God when they treat the patients. But, there is no cure available for all illnesses till now and this reality is what everyone needs to understand, the Seer cautioned.

Sri Ganapathy Swamiji in his address said that a situation has arisen where the youngsters are now-a-days scared of entering the medical profession. The doctors give their best to save the patients but if it is beyond their control then they have to give up. When the patient has reached the last stages, he or she is taken to the hospital and then the relatives plead that they are willing to pay any amount to save the life of the near and dear ones. But if the patient does not survive then they start assaulting the doctors. This is a very dangerous trend the country is witnessing. The Government should come forward to protect the doctors, he said.

The Seer said that they had plans of going to Delhi and urging the Government to come out with laws and rules in protection of the doctors. If this is not done it becomes impossible for anyone to render service. Even the elected representatives on the stage must put pressure on the Government to bring out laws, appealed Sri Swamiji.

## MLA C.T. Ravi lauds Shenoi family

Mysuru, June 18- Chikkamagalur MLA C.T. Ravi began his address with a quotation from Purandaradasa's keerthana *"Kereya Neerannu Kerege Chelli Varava Padedavaranthe Kaniro,"* alluding to the service-mindedness of B. Madhava Shenoi family.

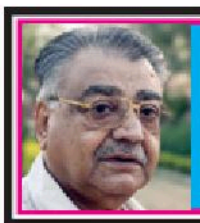
He was speaking during the inauguration of Kamakshi Hospital, J.P. Nagar and said that the Shenoi family ploughing back their earnings to the society is really very laudable.

Recalling the innumerable times the Shenois have lent their helping hand right from the time of Jan Sangh, including paying deposit amounts to the candidates to contest elections, he said that they have been giving generously not expecting anything in return unlike many others who support political parties and causes with ulterior motives. The family had given an Ambassador car to the party as a gift and all the time their support was based only on the ideology and not on any other issues.

Before the influence of Macaulay on the education system in India, education was not a business enterprise. The kings, seers and the rich were feeding the poor. Pandits were dispensing medicines free. Food, medicine and education were not saleable commodities. There was a feeling that tagging a price to them was a crime. The culture was not to ask whether you have had your food but to invite one for lunch or dinner asking the guests to wash their hands and feet. Prince Krishna and his poor friend Sudhama, Drupada and Dhrona studied together in the same school. There was no discrimination between the rich and the poor. However, today education has become a big business. Medical lobby in the US is dictating global policies of the world, he said expressing his concern. However, families like the Shenois still hold values as dear to them and are rendering service to patients charging minimum fees and Kamakshi Hospital is a standing example of this service, he added.

**To Our Readers**

***Star of Mysore*** **will be publishing a special feature on Kamakshi Hospital, J.P. Nagar, tomorrow. —Ed**



# Abracadabra... Abracadabra...

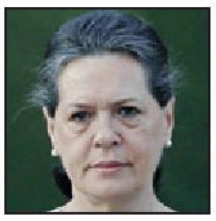
By K.B. Ganapathy

# Musings on 17th Parliament

## Opposition left licking the wounds

Narendra Modi

Rahul Gandhi


Sonia Gandhi

Mamata Banerjee

Karan Thapar

**Prime Minister Narendra Modi's sage advice to all new MPs while addressing the Press yesterday:**

"With the new MPs comes new hopes, new aspirations and new determination to serve. When we come to the Parliament we should forget *Paksha* (Ruling Party) and *Vipaksha* (Opposition Party). We should think about *Nishpaksh* spirit (objective neutrality)."

The first Parliament session of the 17th Lok Sabha began yesterday, Monday morning. This Parliament session will last till 6th of July 2019 and a number of ordinances are lined up to be passed as Bills during this session. The most important among them are the Triple Talaq Bill, Women's Reservation Bill and Uniform Civil Code.

Prime Minister Narendra Modi chaired an All Party Meeting last Sunday and also the BJP Parliamentary Party with the NDA allies. His common refrain in these meetings was that his Government will facilitate and also support legislations that is in the interest of the country and which carries the spirit of *Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas, Sabka Vishwas* [Together we strive for everybody's growth with everybody's trust].

While *Sabka Vikas* with *Sabka Saath* is possible, I doubt whether it is possible to gain everybody's *Vishwas* in some of the contentious issues, which have been pending since more than 15 years, both under UPA and NDA. Today Modi has invited Presidents of all political parties who have MPs in Parliament for a meeting to discuss BJP's pet idea of **'One Nation One Poll.'** Modi had tried to push it in his earlier term but did not find enthusiasm among the regional parties specially. I guess with the kind of majority BJP has in NDA coupled with the presence of a substantial number of youngsters and first-timers, his idea of 'One Nation, One Poll' might become a reality. **If this happens, it will definitely further strengthen the unity and integrity of the country which seemed a bit shaky in the past 5 years of Modi's rule and specially during the period of April-May 2019 election campaign.**

While some States with Chief Ministers of regional parties spoke of autonomy, some spoke of the need for the Centre to respect the Federal character of our Constitution. The leaders of the *Mahagathbandhan* were all set to prevent Modi from becoming the Prime Minister again with the bogey of an imminent danger to Indian Democracy and its Federal structure.

In retrospect, one wonders if the Opposition plan had succeeded who would have been the Prime Minister. But the moot question would have been not **who** would have been the PM, but **when** the *Mahagathbandhan* leaders would choose the Prime Minister? From our past experience of 1977 and even later of Janata Party and others who defeated the Congress, one could very well conclude that the search for the Prime Ministerial candidate would have been going on throwing ethics to the winds. The Parliament, which assembled yesterday, would not have happened because of the internal squabbles of the leaders of *Mahagathbandhan*. **Modi's victory has thus saved our country from a chaotic, painful process of Ministry-making.**

On Wednesday, the 19th, that is tomorrow, Prime Minister Modi would meet the Heads of all Parties in the Parliament to discuss the concept uppermost in Modi's mind and in the minds of the **right thinking people** about the Nation's future, as also the **Nationalists — The One Nation One Election.**

Yesterday, ahead of the session, senior-most member of BJP, an MP, Virendra Kumar was administered oath as Pro-tem Speaker of the 17th Lok Sabha at the Rashtrapati Bhavan by President Ram Nath Kovind.

Prime Minister Modi was the first among MPs to take oath in Lok Sabha and significantly Amit Shah took oath later. This time, Sonia Gandhi, Chairperson of the Congress-led United Progressive Alliance (UPA) seems to have been deprived of importance given to her in 2014 while taking oath. In 2014, the Lok Sabha Secretariat had made an exception for the former Congress President Sonia Gandhi and BJP patriarch L.K. Advani, who had taken oath right after the Ministers, in deference to their seniority. Of course, this time, Advani is not a Member of Parliament as he has not contested the election, but Sonia Gandhi is. **But whatever the reason, this time her seniority was not considered by the LS Secretariat to make an exception like in 2014.** As a result, she will take oath along with other law-makers from Uttar Pradesh. It seems that in 2014 an exception was made to Sonia because otherwise exception made to Advani would have seemed partial. **However, this time not showing the same consideration (to seniority) to Sonia is unfair and shows the Lok Sabha Secretariat in poor light as mean. Let it be.**

Roman General, Pompey has rightly said, "Men worship sun rising, not sun setting." Did you get me Steve?

Be that as it may, I am just wondering what could be the feeling of not so much the members of the *Mahagathbandhan*, but those members of the Lutyens' Club and Khan Market Gang. As for me, I specifically remember Karan Thapar anchoring a panel discussion in his *UpFront* TV Show just 10 days before the voting ended. His opening words seemed almost weird, a dark prophecy, of events to unfold when he said, **"there are signs that suggest the BJP is showing nervousness while the Opposition seems to be gaining in confidence."**

His guests that evening were BJP's Spokesperson Vivek Reddy, Sanjay Jha from Congress, Chandan Mitra of TMC, journalist **Nalini Singh** and Ashutosh, former Spokesperson for Aam Aadmi Party. His first question was to Nalini Singh with a preface of negativity for the BJP. Karan Thapar recalls BJP's Ram Madhav, the Minister, accepting, that **"the BJP may not get the majority on its own."** Now the question: "In your eyes, could these possibly be the signs that the BJP is a little nervous about the outcome on the 23rd?" Nalini Singh rattles off with her own kind of jumbled narrative bringing in Modi's meeting with Naveen Patnaik holding the latter's hand for 59 seconds (apparently she must have got someone to clock the time) etc. Crap.

The inference is that Modi was indeed nervous about winning the elections. Another point she answered was about Rajiv Gandhi being called *'Brashtachari No. 1'* by Modi which according to her was also "a window into his desperation." The whole interview was carried forward with the refrain that BJP was not going to win.

These anti-Modi, anti- BJP foot soldiers of the Congress-led UPA and those media mercenaries working for them, must now be licking their wounds and biding their time to launch an assault on Modi and his Government like they did in 2014. But these pall-bearers of UPA and of *Mahagathbandhan* should remember that Mamata Banerjee's "Expiry Babu" Modi is full of potency to last for the next five years.

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# NDA nominates

## Om Birla for Lok Sabha Speaker's post

New Delhi, June 18- Two-time BJP MP from Rajasthan Om Birla will be the new Speaker of the 17th Lok Sabha after he was nominated by the ruling NDA for the post.

*Om Birla*

Birla has been a three-time MLA in the Rajasthan Assembly and represents the Kota-Boondi constituency. Birla (57), is a commerce post-graduate educated at the Government Commerce College, Kota and MDS University, Ajmer.

He was elected to the Rajasthan Assembly in 2003, 2008 and 2013 and served as a minister of state in the Vasundhara Raje government. Birla is a quintessential party worker and quite active in the BJP's youth wing, the Bharatiya Janata Yuva Morcha. He was imprisoned in Uttar Pradesh due to his active participation in the Ram Mandir movement.

## No radiation therapy at K.R. Hospital

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"Though the company has quoted Rs.35 lakh for repairs, it has not given any guarantee of proper functioning of the machine after spending such a huge amount," RMO Dr. Rajesh said.

As such, the Dean had written another letter to the Government for the purchase of a new advanced radiation therapy machine instead of repairing the old one. "The Government is likely to sanction money for the purchase of new machine soon," he said.

Explaining alternative arrangements, Dr. Rajesh said that the Hospital had also written to the manufacturing company to send an additional machine to the Hospital until the arrival of new one so that the patients should not suffer.

"The company has obliged to our request and the additional machine has already reached Bengaluru and it will be installed by tomorrow evening," he said.

Mitigating the suffering of patients, the doctors have prepared a list of cancer patients who need radiation therapy and have planned to send them to Mandya Institute of Medical Sciences (MIMS) in Mandya and Hassan Institute of Medical Sciences (HIMS) in Hassan as a temporary arrangement, Dr. Rajesh said.

The Hospital has also collected the mobile phone numbers and addresses of all 60 patients and they will be informed about the latest changes.

# Golgumbaz, Hampi Express
## partially cancelled till June 23
### Chennai train cancelled on June 19 and 20

Mysuru, June 18- In view of ongoing yard works in Mysuru Railway station, Train No.16535 Mysuru-Solapur Golgumbaz Express and 16591 Hubballi to Mysuru Hampi Express have been partially cancelled between Mysuru-Pandavapura-Mysuru from June 18 to 23 and June 17 to 22 respectively.

Train No.22681 Mysuru to Chennai Central Superfast Express journey commencing on June 19 is fully cancelled. Also, the train No.22682 Chennai Central to Mysuru Superfast Express journey commencing on June 20 is fully cancelled.

**South Western Railway, Mysuru Division, has made arrangements for transportation of reserved passengers in the above trains by buses from Mysuru-Pandavapura and Pandavapura-Mysuru.**

The buses for the reserved passengers of 16535 Mysuru-Solapur Golgumbaz Express will depart from Mysuru Railway Station at 13.45 hrs and the buses for the reserved passengers of Train No.16591 Hubballi-Mysuru Hampi Express will leave Pandavapura Railway station upon arrival of the train there.

In view of this, reserved passengers of Train No.16535 Mysuru-Solapur Golgumbaz Express have to reach Mysuru Railway Station well in time to board the buses bound for Pandavapura for their onward journey by rail. The following telephone numbers may be contacted for further clarification or assistance: 97316-67979, 97316-67962, 97316-67964 or 0821-2422401.

Meanwhile, a special DEMU train will run between Krantiveera Sangolli Rayanna (KSR) Station, Bengaluru, through Naganahalli and return to KSR Bengaluru till June 23.

The train will depart KSR Bengaluru at 9.30 hrs and will arrive at Naganahalli at 12.15 hrs. In return direction, the train will depart Naganahalli at 14.05 hrs and arrives at KSR Bengaluru at 17.15 hrs.

The train will have commercial stoppages in all Stations between KSR Bengaluru to Naganahalli.

# MCC gets two mobile toilets

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Also, it may be recalled here that in the absence of such mobile toilet facilities, temporary toilets were dug for the security personnel and the Police at the Maharani's College of Commerce and Management on Valmiki Road recently where the counting of votes were held for the Mysuru-Kodagu Lok Sabha constituency.

The MCC that discussed the sanitation issue came up with the idea of requesting industries to spare their CSR funds to donate mobile toilets to the Civic Body. This, according to MCC will ease the sanitation problem in a major way.

The proposal was placed before the DC who in turn conveyed the same to the District Industries Centre. Accepting the proposal, the HPCL Mysuru that locally maintains and operates the Mangaluru-Hassan-Mysuru-Bengaluru LPG pipeline donated two mobile toilets worth Rs.17.98 lakh under CSR component as per the Companies Act, 2013, Section 135.

Each mobile toilet unit has 12 toilets (six on either side) and in all, there are 24 toilets in two units. The toilets can be hauled

by a vehicle and can be carried to any place of choice. They are equipped with lights and hand-washing facilities and can be connected directly to any underground drainage line.

The toilets were officially handed over to the MCC on June 13 by T. Obaiah, Senior Manager (Operations), HPCL, in the premises of MCC. Mayor Pushpalatha Jagannath, MCC Commissioner Shilpa Nag and other officials were present.

The mobile toilets are the first-ever CSR-funded facility received by the MCC and officials said that the Civic Body looks forward for such support from the corporate sector.

The MCC had placed mobile toilets for public use for the first time in the International Yoga Day rehearsal that was held at Race Course last Sunday. It will next be placed at the Race Course on the International Yoga Day on June 21.

The mobile toilets have been handed over to the Underground Drainage Section of Vani Vilas Water Works that will maintain them. Apart from mobile toilets, the MCC has also sought equipment for city cleaning and solid waste management, including dustbins across the commercial hubs, officials said.

# IMA Jewels scam: Red Corner Notice likely on Mansoor Khan

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Udayagiri Police Station alone had received 682 complaints on the first day and yesterday it received 33 complaints.

In K.R. Sub-Division, a total of five complaints have been received. Four complaints were lodged at K.R. Police Station and one at Saraswathipuram Police Station. In N.R. Sub-Division, a total of 343 complaints has been filed, Mandi station 91 complaints, Metagalli three and Vijayanagar station has received one complaint.

A majority of the investors had invested their hard-earned money and some victims had borrowed money to invest in IMA jewels, lured by the firm's offer of attractive returns. The bunch of complaints would be handed over to the Cyber Crime and Economic Offences Office on Ashoka Road which in turn will hand over the same to the SIT.

# Your intervention please...

*Karnataka Minister for Water Resources D.K. Shivakumar called on the Union Minister for Finance, Nirmala Sitharaman, in New Delhi this morning and sought her intervention to resolve the Krishna Water Dispute-II, Mekedatu and Mahadayi Drinking Water and Hydroelectric Projects.*

# Loaders demand higher wages

Mysuru, June 18 (MTY&US)- Over 100 members of Karnataka State Loading and Unloading Workers Association took out a protest rally from Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple here to the DC's office this morning where a dharna was staged.

The workers alleged that the wages offered to them were the lowest. They pointed out that they were still paid Rs.14 per Quintal when the amount has been increased to Rs.16 with effect from November 2018.

They urged the Government to arrange to pay Rs.16 with retrospective effect from November 2018. They added that the contractor was not remitting the ESI and PF amount to the corresponding accounts.

# Green Buds investors stage stir

Mysuru, June 18 (PM&DM)- Seeking early refund of their deposits, over 50 investors of Green Buds Company, under the banner of Green Buds Agents and Investors Welfare Committee, staged a demonstration in front of the Deputy Commissioner's office here this morning.

Accusing the authorities of not preparing a report even after collecting the necessary documents from the investors over eight months ago, following a direction from the High Court, the protesters condemned the delaying tactics of the authorities.

Claiming that they were getting jittery over refund of deposits, with officials showing little concern over their plight, the protesters warned of staging a massive demonstration in the city, if their demand is not met in a fortnight.

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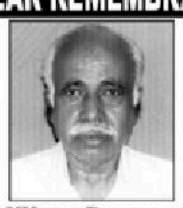
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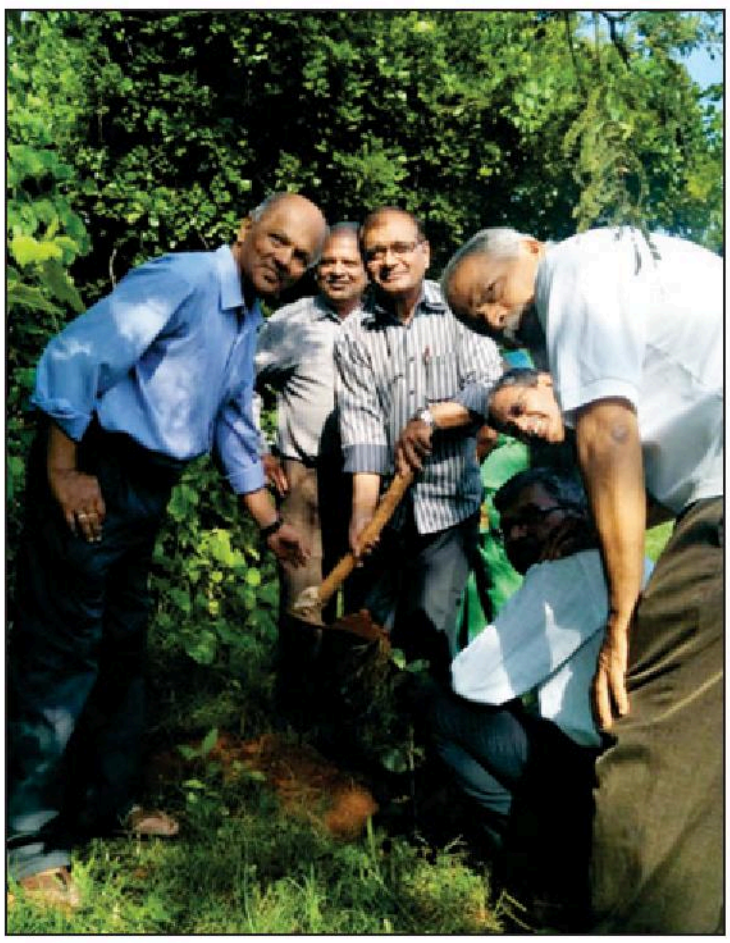
# Good response for Environment Day

**NIREEKSHE SPECIAL SCHOOL:** Children of the School celebrated World Environment Day at the School premises and Mrs. India Universe-2018 Dr. Hemamalini Lakshman conducted a workshop for special children on the 'Greenery to prevent hot spots with emphasis on the life-skills learnt from gardening.'

Children, all the teachers and staff present enjoyed the interactive session with Dr. Hemamalini Lakshman. Children also prepared saplings of different flowering plants.

Principal Hemamalini Krupakar and Chairman Praveen Krupakar were present on the occasion.



**SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY (SWR):** Aparna Garg, Divisional Railway Manager (DRM), SWR, Mysuru, flagged off a rally in Mysuru to mark the World Environment Day celebrations recently.

A large Contingent Officers & staff, Cadets of Bharat Scouts & Guides and students of Lalita Railway School, Mysuru, took part in the rally to raise awareness on the perils of air pollution, the theme of this year's Environment Day. The programme commenced at SWR Hospital premises with Aparna Garg administering the Environment Day pledge to those taking part in the event.

This was followed by planting of nearly one hundred saplings by senior Railway officers and staff in the hospital premises.

A skit on how to combat air pollution was performed by the Cadets of Bharat Scouts & Guides at Mysuru Railway Station followed by Shramdan by Officers and staff in the Divisional Railway Office premises.

As part of the programme, as many as 8,000 saplings were planted along railway tracks, colonies, etc. across Mysuru Division.

**MAHARAJA HIGH SCHOOL:** Environment Day was celebrated at Maharaja High School recently. Dr. Chandrashekhar (second from right) of Aditya Hospital inaugurated the celebrations by planting saplings along with former Corporator Nagabhushan, alumnus Sridhar Raj Urs, Principal Mahesh, students and staff.

**SBM COLONY:** The residents of SBM Colony celebrated World Environment Protection Day by planting saplings all around the Colony with the nearby residents consenting to take care of the plants.

Corporator Champaka was the chief guest on the occasion. Varieties of plants which include honge, silver oak, neem, gulmohar (yellow), gasagasa, rama phala, seetha phala were planted on the road side and tree guards were also being provided for protection from cattle.

The tree planting programme was arranged by the Mysore Bank Colony Residents Cultural & Welfare Association.

Arunkumar Shettar, President of the Association, said that although some of the saplings planted so far have been destroyed due to nature failure or road widening, we continue to plant new trees as these trees are mainly responsible for producing oxygen for better environment and hence we will continue our efforts.

K.V. Ramanath, Secretary of the Association, assured for more such programmes to be conducted to plant trees to prevent pollution of air and avoid situations as existing in Delhi.

He also requested the residents to educate the children about the main idea behind the tree planting so that the large tree cutting for commercial purposes could be restricted.

Umakanth, former Vice-President, thanked the Corporator and other residents for having participated in the programme.

He also presented a memorandum to the Corporator requesting to take up with the MCC for early execution of the asphalting work of the road near the Vivek Club, which is pending for more than five years.

ICC World Cup-2019

# Shakib, Liton steer Bangladesh to big win over West Indies

Taunton, June 18- Shakib Al Hasan (124 n.o.) and Liton Das (94 n.o.) steered Bangladesh to an unbelievable seven-wicket win over former champion West Indies, in the ICC World Cup 2019 match played at Taunton on Monday.

Bangladesh have recorded their highest ever chase and equalled World Cup's second highest ever chase with this win.

West Indies performance overall was much to be desired with their batsman throwing away their wickets after being well-settled and also faltered a lot in the bowling front by bowling too many short stuff which the Bangladesh batsman countered with ease.

Their fielding and catching was not up to the standard, and they were 40-50 runs short by not adding much runs in the final overs. All credit to the Bangladesh batsmen, especially Shakib Al Hasan and Liton Das,

*Liton Das (left) and Shakib Al Hasan bump fists during their unbroken partnership that helped Bangladesh register a seven-wicket win over former champion West Indies at Taunton on Monday.*

both of them batting brilliantly which helped their team register a outstanding win.

Winning the toss and bowling first, Bangladesh struck early by removing the dangerous Chris Gayle (0) caught behind off fast bowler Saifuddin (1 for 6). Evin Lewis (70, 67b, 6x4, 2x6) and Shai Hope (96, 121b, 4x4, 1x6) batted well and consolidated the innings by adding 116-valuable runs for the second wicket.

After the fall of Lewis, Nicholas Pooran (25, 30b, 2x4, 1x6), Shimron Hetmyer (50, 26b, 4x4, 3x6) and skipper Holder (33, 15b, 4x4, 2x6) batted well and West Indies posted a total of 321 for eight in 50 overs. Mustafizur Rahman (3 for 59), Mohammad Saifuddin (3 for 72) and Shakib Al Hasan (2 for 54) were the wicket-takers for Bangladesh.

### Record chase

Bangladesh in their reply, created a record by scoring 322 for three in 41.3 overs. Opener Tamim Iqbal (48, 53b, 6x4) and Soumya Sarkar (29, 23b, 2x4, 2x6) added 52-runs for the opening wicket. Shakib Al Hasan took over and batted with a lot of elegance and flair by scoring an unbeaten 124 (99b, 16x4) and along with Liton Das (94 n.o., 69b, 8x4, 4x6) added 189-runs, the best fourth wicket partnership in World Cup matches for Bangladesh and set up an epic win for their team. Shakib Al Hasan scored his second hundred in successive matches in this tournament.

### SCORES

**West Indies:** 321 for 8 in 50 overs (Shai Hope 96, Evin Lewis 70, Shimron Hetmyer 50, Holder 33, Nicholas Pooran 25, Mustafizur Rahman 3 for 59, Md. Saifuddin 3 for 72, Shakib Al Hasan 2 for 54) lost to **Bangladesh:** 322 for 3 in 41.3 overs (Shakib Al Hasan 124 n.o., Liton Das 94 n.o., Tamim Iqbal 48, Soumya Sarkar 29); **Player of the Match:** Shakib Al Hasan.

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MTC AITA National Tennis Championship

# Harshini Vishwanand bags double

*The winners in various categories of the MTC AITA Championship Series National-level Tennis which concluded at MTC Courts here on Friday, are seen with Prajwal, Chief Referee, Chethan Vishwanath, Tournament Director, Alagappan, President, MTC and Gokul Manjunath.*

Mysuru, June 18- It was double delight for Harshini Vishwanand of Hyderabad when she clinched both the U-14 & U-16 Girls Singles titles on the concluding day of the MTC AITA Championship Series Tennis Tournament-2019 played at the MTC Courts here on Friday.

Eighth seeded Harshini Vishwanand, playing a consistent baseline game, scored an upset win over third seeded S.C. Athmika (Karnataka) 6-2, 7-5 and clinched the Girls U-16 Singles title.

Later, top-seeded Harshini Vishwanand completed a fine double by winning the Girls U-14 Singles title beating Harshini Nagaraj (Karnataka) 6-1, 6-2.

Vivan Gupta (Karnataka) and Kabir Chabria (Delhi) won the Boys U-14 & U-16 Singles titles respectively.

The Tournament attracted record number of 230 entries from all over the country. The prizes were given away by MTC President Alagappan.

### RESULTS

**Final — Boys U-16 Singles:** Kabir Chabria (Del) bt Tarun (TN) 6-4, 6-4; **Doubles:** Tarun/ Adith Amarnath bt K.S. Karthik/ Kabir Chabria 2-6, 6-4 (10-5); **Boys U-14 Singles:** Vivan Gupta (Kar) bt Mustafa M. Raja (6-2, 5-7, 6-2).

**Girls U-16 Singles:** Harshini Vishwanand (Hyd) bt S.C. Athmika (Kar) 6-2, 7-5; **Doubles:** Sreenidhi Amireddy/ Shreya Bhat bt Surabhi Srinivas/ C. Jennifer 6-3, 6-0.

**Girls U-14 Singles:** Harshini Vishwanand (Hyd) bt Harshini Nagaraj (Kar) 6-1, 6-2.

**Mixed Doubles:** Tanishk Jadav/ C. Ridhi bt Yashas M. Urs/ Surabhi Srinivas 6-3, 2-6 (10-4).

## MYSORE SUMMER RACES 2019

(By Our Racing Correspondent)

# Constantine Vs Korol for Stewards Trophy

Mysuru, June 18- The following are the selections for the 5th Day Mysore Summer Races to be held here tomorrow (19th June 2019):

**1. 2.30 PM THE ALBERETTO PLATE**
1400 mts. [3 years (terms)]
*1. Tarek 2. Rich Tribute*

**2. 3.00 PM THE REPUBLICAN PLATE**
1400 mts. (rated 00 to 25)
*1. Surprise Package 2. Safe Bet*

**3. 3.30 PM THE RENOWNED PLATE - DIV. II**
1200 mts. (rated 20 to 45)
*1. Mercury 2. Akimbo*

**4. 4.00 PM THE HIRIYUR PLATE**
1400 mts. (rated 20 to 45)
*1. Reanna 2. Country's Power*

**5. 4.30 PM THE STEWARDS TROPHY**
1200 mts. (rated 75 and above)
*1. Constantine 2. Korol*

**6. 5.00 PM THE RENOWNED PLATE - DIV. I**
1200 mts. (rated 20 to 45)
*1. Beat The Odds 2. Salute*

**7. 5.30 PM THE GOA PLATE**
1400 mts. (rated 40 to 65)
*1. Anteros 2. Contributor*

***DAY'S BEST:*** *REANNA*
***DOUBLE:*** *1. TAREK 2. ANTEROS*
***JACKPOT:*** *3,4,5,6,7*
***I TREBLE:*** *2,3,4;* ***II TREBLE:*** *5,6,7*
***EXACTAS:*** *6,7*

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# Panel moots Govt. job for SC/ST intercaste married couples

*H.K. Kumaraswamy, Chairman, Karnataka Legislative Committee on Welfare of SC/ST, addressing a review meeting of SC/ST programmes in Mysuru district at the ZP premises in city recently.*

Mysuru, June 18- The Karnataka Legislative Committee on Welfare of Scheduled Castes/ Scheduled Tribes (SC/ST) recently decided to recommend the State Government to offer Government jobs to one of the spouses in an inter-caste marriage involving SC or ST people.

The Committee Chairman H.K. Kumaraswamy, who chaired a review meeting of SC/ST programmes in Mysuru district at the Zilla Panchayat (ZP) here recently, said that the Committee would recommend to the Government to offer a job either to the bride or the bridegroom to encourage inter-caste marriages.

Pointing out that it was important to extend help to such couples to encourage these weddings in the society, H.K. Kumaraswamy said that the Committee will also recommend to the Government to increase the subsidy for inter-caste marriages from Rs.10,000 to Rs.25,000.

Appreciating the steps taken by the District Administration which conducted as many as 797 inter-caste marriages involving SC/ST youths in a span of three years from 2016 to 2019, Kumaraswamy said that the subsidy given to the organisations that conduct mass marriages should be increased from Rs.100 to Rs.1,000.

Asking the officials to collect all basic details of SC/ST community people in the district, he said that the funds earmarked by the Government under Special Component Plan (SCP) and Tribal Sub Plan (TSP) must be utilised for the development of SC/ST people, for which basic information was needed to bring the community to mainstream society.

He directed the Social Welfare Department Officials to ensure that no pregnant women or children suffer from malnutrition and the Health and Women and Child Welfare Department authorities to take care of the health of women and children.

Noting that the district has a literacy rate of 74 percent, he stressed on the need for improving this rate and the Education Department should provide quality education to SC/ST students.

Social Welfare Department Joint Director H.S. Bindiya said that the district has 47 pre-matric hostels, with 3,155 students in them and 30 post-matric hostels, where 3,383 students stay.

Continuing, she said that there are 21 Ashrama Schools for SC/ST students with 2,439 students studying there. Ekalavya Model Residential Schools and Morarji Desai Residential Schools were also functional and popular in the district, she added.

Additional Deputy Commissioner (ADC) B.R. Poornima said that as many as 14,400 people from SC and 9,742 from ST community were deprived of housing in the district. Among them, 9,827 SC families and 8,364 ST families do not have sites to build houses and the respective Gram Panchayats have been asked to reserve 50 sites each for these communities, she added.

The Committee consists of former Minister and MLA N. Mahesh, MLAs K. Annadani, R. Prasanna Kumar, K. Mahadev, Anil Chikkamadu and Ashwin Kumar, who attended the meeting.

ZP President Parimala Shyam, CEO K. Jyothi, DCF Prashanth Kumar and other officials were present.

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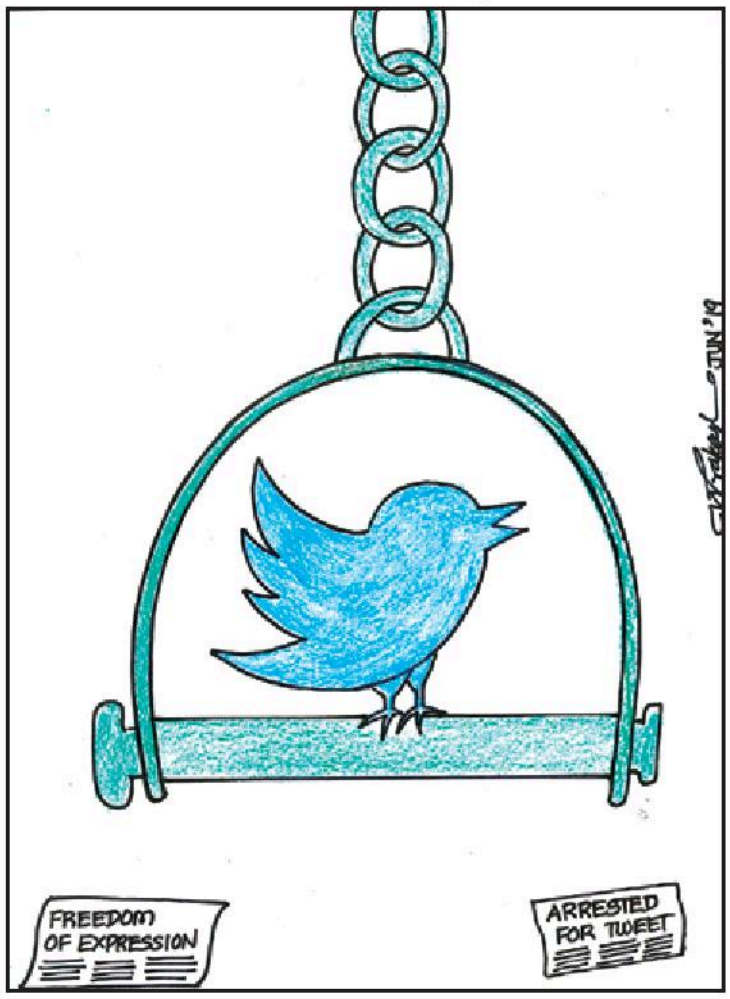


# MLA Ramdas undertakes 'Janaspandana Yatre' in Ward 47

## Performs *Guddali Puja* for road-widening works

Mysuru, June 18 (RKB&US)- To get a first-hand information from the residents on civic problems, KR Constituency MLA S.A. Ramdas undertook a 'Janaspandana Yatre' yesterday in Ward 47 covering Kuvempunagar and Saraswathipuram.

The MLA was accompanied by officials of the Mysuru City Corporation (MCC), Chamundeshwari Electricity Supply Company (CESC), Slum Board, Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA), Forest Department and Horticulture Department.

Residents complained of irregular water supply not abiding by the stipulated timings of Vani Vilas Water Works (VVWW). Ramdas instructed MCC and VVWW officials to look into the problem.

A resident Ramakrishna alleged that old dried branches of tree were not pruned inviting danger especially during rain with gale.

Ramdas spoke to Range Forest Officer (RFO) Govindaraj on phone and instructed to cut the branches immediately. The residents complained CESC staff after installing new electric poles. CESC Assistant Engineer Shivanna assured the MLA that the old poles would be cleared soon.

The residents complained of shrubs growing on vacant sites.

Ramdas said that the owners of vacant sites should take the responsibility of cleaning shrubs.

Motivating the people, Ramdas himself took up cleaning of a vacant site inspiring the accompanying officials and residents to join.

**Guddali puja:** Ramdas performed 'Guddali Puja' for widening of roads near Maruti Temple in T.K. Layout. MCC Addl. Commissioner Shivananda Murthy and Corporator Shivakumar were present.

*Ramdas performing 'Guddali Puja' for widening of roads near Maruti Temple in T.K. Layout yesterday.*

# MCC has spent funds as per Govt. guidelines: Mayor

Mysuru, June 18 (SBD&DM)- City Mayor Pushpalatha Jagannath has refuted MP Pratap Simha's claims that Government guidelines have not been followed in the spending of funds by the Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) and that there was discrimination in the MCC's allotment of funds.

Addressing a press meet at her office here recently, Pushpalatha Jagannath maintained that there was no truth in MP Pratap Simha's allegations made by him during the inspection of Vijayanagar Water Reservoir recently. Stating that the approval of BJP Councillors too was taken in the allocation of funds by the MCC, the Mayor said that the Wards represented by senior Corporators, irrespective of their party, were allotted Rs.1 crore to Rs.1.25 crore, which was in accordance with the guidelines laid down by the 14th Finance Commission.

Clarifying that funds will be allotted to senior Corporators without any discrimination, she reiterated that Rs.68.29 crore

*Mayor Pushpalatha Jagannath addressing a press meet recently.*

sanctioned by the 14th Finance Commission and the Rs.28.39 crore for SC/ST Welfare, have been distributed among the Wards in accordance with the Government guidelines.

Giving an account of the allotment of funds, Pushpalatha Jagannath said that Rs.1.30 crore has been allotted to her Ward, although as a Mayor she has the privilege for getting Rs.2 crore, Rs.1.15 crore to Deputy Mayor Shafi Ahmed's Ward, Rs.85 lakh to former Mayor Ayub Khan's Ward, Rs.1.20 crore to the Ward represented by Shivakumar of BJP, Rs.1.20 crore to the Ward represented by Usha Narayan and Rs.2.30 crore for Corporator Pramila Bharath's Ward.

She further clarified that it was a practise to allot more funds to senior and SC/ST Corporators and ruled out allegations of discrimination in the allotment of funds.

Deputy Mayor Shafi Ahmed said that it was the Government which allots funds under various heads and works and the MCC has no role in fund allotment.

Taking objection to Pratap Simha's allegation, he demanded an apology from him for making baseless remarks against the MCC.

Corporators Nagaraj, Ramesh, Shobha Sunil, Prema Shankaregowda and others were present.

# Training on 'Prevention of illegal trade' for Police and Enforcement Officials held

Mysuru, June 18- Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry's (FICCI)-Committee Against Smuggling and Counterfeiting Activities Destroying the Economy (CASCADE) had organised a day-long capacity-building training programme on prevention of illegal trade in counterfeit, pirated and smuggled goods for Police and Enforcement officials of Karnataka State at Karnataka Police Academy (KPA) in city yesterday.

Speaking after inaugurating the programme, KPA Director Vipul Kumar said that the Police Department is a primary law enforcement agency and has a significant role in fighting the menace of smuggling and counterfeit. He said that KPA is committed to prevent such crimes and hence is providing training to the officers.

He also commended FICCI-CASCADE for taking this initiative in the State for training Police officers on the critical area of illegal trade.

FICCI-CASCADE also works closely with government, Police, industry, enforcement officials, media, legal experts and consumer organisations to create awareness on counterfeiting and smuggling to contain such activities.

In view of the increasing menace of illegal trade, both in terms of value and magnitude, the Police Department has been making all efforts in eliminating this threat in co-ordination with FICCI's CASCADE and added that strict measures must be taken to nip this illegal trade in the initial stages, he added.

Speaking on the occasion, FICCI's CASCADE Advisor Deepchand stated that FICCI-CASCADE reports estimate that the Government due to illegal markets in just seven manufacturing sectors is suffering a loss of Rs.39,239 crore. This apart, the industries have suffered a loss of Rs.1,05,381 crore, an increase of 44.4% in two years.

JSS Law College Assistant Professor A.T. Jagadeesh, Attorney-Advisor of US Patents and Trademarks Office, Washington Timothy K. Browning, Shivadas & Shivadas Law Chambers Advocate Prashanth S. Shivadas and others were present during the training programme.

## Attack on Dalit in Gundlupet

# Police asked to book suspended cops under SC/ST Act

Mysuru, June 18 (DM)- The National Commission for Scheduled Castes Vice-Chairman I. Murugan on Monday asked the Chamarajanagar District Police to register a case under Section 4 of the SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act against the two Policemen who have been suspended in connection with the case of atrocity against a dalit youth in Gundlupet taluk recently.

The Chamarajanagar SP last week had suspended Assistant Sub-Inspector C. Rajendra Prasad and Head Constable Srinivas on changes of dereliction of duty and indiscipline.

Murugan met the dalit youth S. Pratap at a private hospital in city where he is undergoing treatment for depression and gathered details about the incident.

Pratap had stayed at a temple near Bandipur in Gundlupet taluk on June 3, when he was allegedly paraded naked and assaulted at Kabbekatte.

Murugan spoke to Pratap and his father Shivaiah and collected information and the status of Police investigation.

Later, speaking to press persons, Murugan said that though the SP has suspended two Policemen, they should be booked under the SC/ST Act for neglect of duties by a public servant.

Pointing out that the District Administration has handed over a cheque of Rs.25,000 as the first part of the compensation to the youth, he said that he has directed the District Administration as well as the Police to properly monitor the case.

Chamarajanagar ADC C.L. Anand said that the youth (Pratap) was a UPSC Civil Services aspirant and would appear for the next exam as he could not make it to the previous exam. He further said that the youth's treatment may continue for a few more days.

Chamarajanagar Additional SP Anitha B. Haddnnanavar, Mysuru DCP M. Muthuraj and other officials were present.

**Hospital security**

Following threat by unidentified persons to Pratap's family members, City Police have deployed additional personnel at the hospital. On Saturday, two persons had allegedly threatened Pratap's father.

# Unidentified man dies at hospital

Mysuru, June 18 (MK&KS)- An unidentified man who was lying sick near the Private Bus Stand and admitted to K.R. Hospital by Mandi Police has died at the hospital on Sunday.

Mandi Police, who have shifted the body of the deceased to MMC&RI mortuary, has asked the kith and kin of the deceased, if any, to contact Ph: 0821-2418313/ 513 or Police Control Room on Ph: 0821-2418339.

# Accused absconding

Mysuru, June 18 (KS)- A man, who is accused in Case No.1041/14 at Chikamagalur 2nd Additional Civil Judge and JMFC Court, has gone absconding.

The absconding accused is Prakash Mysuru. Those having any information about the accused may contact Chikamagalur Basavanahalli Police Sub-Inspector. For details, contact Ph: 08262-235608 or 222102.


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**No. SASM/01/MYS/TEND/2019-20** **DATE: 18.06.2019**

## TENDER NOTIFICATION

**Invites sealed tenders for long term lease for 30 years of Waqf property described hereunder from interested Muslim institutions Only.**

**DESCRIPTION OF SCHEDULE PROPERTY**

**The said Waqf property bearing Survey No. 242, Old Mysore-Bangalore Road, Belvata Grama, Mysuru-570010**

1. A portion of the property said to be Bi Bi Ayesha Milli Hospital consisting of ground floor first floor, second floor & third floor of about 22,800 Sq.ft of the built up area on the land measuring 19,118 Sq.ft shown as S. No 2 of the drawing annexed
   Along with an area of 5,836 Sq.ft. behind the mosque shown as Sl.No.1.
   An area of 3250 Sq.ft comprising of a shop and canteen shown as Sl.No 3.
   An area of 4,650 Sq.ft adjoining to the existing hospital building shown as Sl No 4
   The total land area measuring 32,854 Sq.ft in aggregate for the purpose of Hospital.
2. The other portion of the said property consisting of open space area of 1,700 Sq.ft Shown as Sl No 5 and the remaining open space area of 29,358 Sq.ft Shown as Sl No 6

**The total land area measuring 31,058 Sq. ft. in aggregate for the purpose of establishing an Educational Institution.**

**Bounded on:** East by Old Mysore-Bangalore main road.
West by: St. Philomena's College Play Ground
North by Private property, South by. Houses & shops belonging to Muthavalli.

**VALUATION:** The total extent of the property proposed for lease as per Schedule No 1 is 32,854 Square feet. The constructed area of the hospital building consists of four (4) floors (Ground, First, Second & Third Floor) is approximately 22,800 Sq.ft which is situated on the above mentioned land

The total extent of the property proposed for lease as per Schedule No 2 is 31,058 Square feet

FOLLOWING ARE THE PRECONDITIONS FOR APPLICATION OF LONG TERM LEASE:

a. The portion of the said Waqf property falling under Schedule No 1 shall be utilized for the purpose of running a multi-specialty hospital only and the open space under Schedule No 2 shall be utilized for the purpose of establishing an Educational Institution
b. The rent has to be paid for the machines operated in the hospital on the written down value basis for a period of ten years to the outgoing lessee on applicable terms. Details of list of machines as annexed to this Notification which is applicable for property under Schedule No.1.
c. The reserve price per square feet for lease of the said Waqf property shall not be less than 2% of the total value of the property per annum. The market value referred to as the reserve price shall be the price fixed for registering a conveyance at the office of the Registrar or the Sub Registrar.
d. The tenderer has the option to bid for either or both of the Schedules mentioned above
e. The lease shall be for a period of 30 years only with an increment of lease rent at 5% per annum
f. The successful tenderer shall have to make a payment of a security deposit equivalent to 24 months lease rent
g. The Tender form / Schedules can be obtained from the office of the Khatijathul Kubra Masjid beside 8th Ayesha Bi Hospital on payment of Rs 1000-00 commencing from 18-06-2019 to 27-06-2019
h. The tenders will be opened on 28-06-2019 at 12-30 p.m. in presence of the tenderers at the office of District Waqf Advisory Committee, Mysuru.

The sealed tenders need to be submitted in person or by registered post to **The Muthawalli, Syed Afzal Sha Makan, Old Mysore-Bangalore Road, Mysuru between 11.00 am to 6.00 p.m.** on all working days along with an **EMD of Rs. 25,000/-** by way of DD favoring **Syed Afzal Shah Makan, payable at Mysuru, within 10 days** from the date of this notification

**NOTE: The Muthawalli is at liberty to either accept or reject any Tender without assigning any reason.**

**SD/- Muthawalli, Syed Afzal Sha Makan, Mysuru**

## WORD OF THE DAY

### Boustrophedon

**Pronunciation:** boo-struh-FEE-dahn.

**Meaning:** The writing of alternate lines in opposite directions (as from left to right and from right to left).
**Origin:** Before the standardisation of writing from left to right, ancient Greek inscribers once used a style called boustrophedon, a word meaning literally "turning like oxen in plowing." When they came to the end of a line, the ancient Greeks simply started the next line immediately below the last letter, writing the letters and words in the opposite direction, and thus following the analogy of oxen plowing left to right, then right to left. Reverse boustrophedon writing has also been found in which the inscribers turned the document 180 degrees before starting a new line so that the words are always read left to right with every half turn. The word boustrophedon itself is formed from the Greek word for the ox or cow, bous, and the verb strephein, which means "to turn."
**Example:** The archaeologist noticed that the text on the tablet was written in boustrophedon.

## THE ODD WORD

**Bobsy-die**

A great deal of fuss or trouble.

## PHRASE OF THE DAY

### A bad egg

**Meaning:** Someone or something that disappoints expectations.
**Origin:** The allusion is clearly to the disappointment felt when cracking or shelling an egg, only to find that it is bad.
The earliest use of the phrase in that context is in the Milwaukee Daily American, September 1856:
"Mayor Wood is moving heaven and earth to procure his renomination. One of his dodges is, to get up letters in the newspaper, pretending to emanate from 'distinguished citizens,' including merchants, mechanics and working men, soliciting him in the most pathetic terms to present himself to the dear people. There are also on the list a number of notorious blacklegs whom Woods keeps in pay. He is a bad egg."

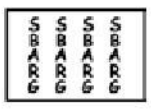
## QUOTE BOX

Painting is an alternative when there is no more pages left in the journal.

**— Alan Maiccon**

## RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus below:



*Answer: Up for grabs.*

## SUDOKU

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| | 9 | | 7 | | | 1 | | |
| 8 | | | | | 7 | | | |
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| 7 | | 6 | | | | | 4 | |

Answer to previous puzzle

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 9 | 8 | 5 | 4 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 6 |
| 7 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 9 | 1 | 5 | 8 |
| 1 | 6 | 3 | 8 | 5 | 2 | 9 | 7 | 4 |
| 3 | 4 | 2 | 5 | 9 | 7 | 8 | 6 | 1 |
| 5 | 9 | 1 | 3 | 8 | 6 | 2 | 4 | 7 |
| 8 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 9 | 3 |
| 4 | 1 | 8 | 9 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 2 |
| 2 | 3 | 9 | 7 | 4 | 8 | 6 | 1 | 5 |
| 6 | 5 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 8 | 9 |

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

## CROSS WORD

**ACROSS:**

1 Teeth on a wheel
5 Venomous South African viper
9 Illuminated
12 Scottish town
13 A premium paid for the exchange of one currency to another
14 Make___of: employ or apply?
15 Folk ___ : tales prevalent in a region, in a way?
16 Got or was put on ice? (6,2)
18 Lands from a ship?
20 Cable TV alternative
21 Knock outs, abbr.
22 Fight against
25 "Cable" anagram for a Biblical name?
28 Large weight
29 __ Paar: 1954 Guru Dutt movie
30 Frosty white
31 Long period of time
32 Preposition
33 Pub or local
34 Cunning like a fox?
35 Characteristic
36 A liquid fuel
38 Couple
39 Short for 'and the rest', (etcetera)
40 Javagal _____ : paceman from Karnataka and India?
44 Crime of wanton cruelty
47 Hideous giant
48 ___ voyage : good wishes to one leaving on a long voyage?
49 Periods of history
50 Exodus author Leon ___
51 Off. Training Sch.
52 Short person
53 North Mexican town - "oats" anagram?

**YESTERDAY'S ANSWER**

| | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| I | A | T | A | ■ | L | U | D | ■ | H | A | T | S |
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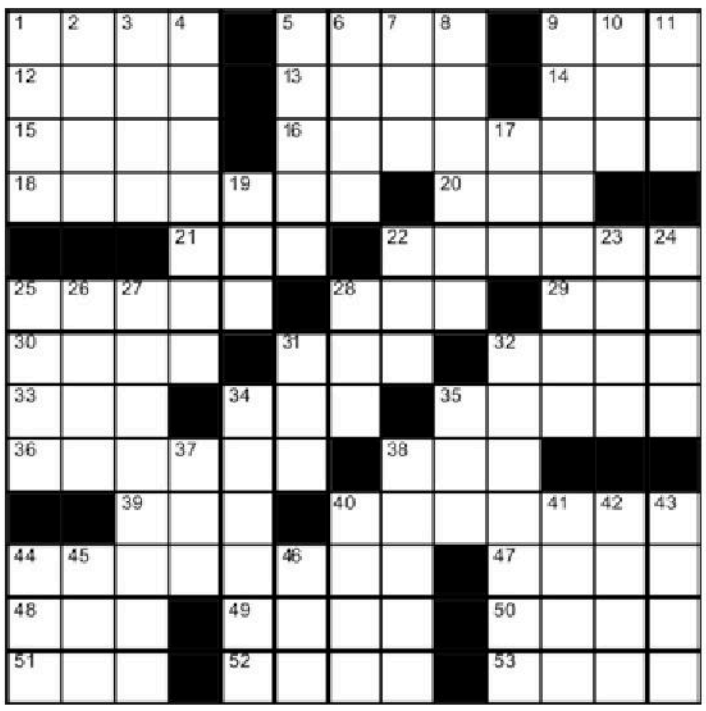
| S | O | A | R | ■ | L | O | T | ■ | S | O | O | T |

**DOWN**

1 ___ shoulder : deliberate unfriendliness?
2 Reed instrument
3 Attire or dress
4 A cowardly person; tell-tale at school?
5 _____ up : supports, especially morally?
6 Freudian terms
7 SA river ___ Grande
8 ___ jubilee: fiftieth anniversary?
9 Industrially developed city in Punjab
10 Pakistan's intelligence agency
11 Vietnamese New Year
17 Extra-terrestrials, abbr.
19 Steal from
22 Ronald's pet name?
23 Indian lady forsaking her life on her husband's pyre
24 ___ out : produce or introduce as if for inspection?
25 Potato slab
26 Top-notch (1,3)
27 Protective cases for lamps or lights
28 ___ with : trifle with?
31 Bend in a pipe
32 Remove wrinkles; smoothen (4,3)
34 Another name for football?
35 Two as a prefix?
37 Road Transp. Off.
38 Assignation
40 ___ Laurel : Oliver Hardy's partner?
41 The site of Taj Mahal
42 The three of them
43 Myra ___ : famous pianist?
44 Aborigine, in short
45 Small child
46 Inertial Ref. Unit



## CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

**HP QMZAT ZA EPAPVXBZQZPC,**

**INQ HP BZDP ZA OPQXZB.**

**TODAY'S CLUE: H EQUALS W**

**Yesterday's Cryptoquip:** The more you chase money, the harder it is to catch it.

## NOW SHOWING

| Movie | Theatre | Phone | Shows |
|---|---|---|---|
| **KANNADA** | | | |
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| | Mahadeshwara | 9986022634 | 4 Shows |
| | Lido | 2420885 | 4 Shows |
| *Amar* | Lakshmi | 2443584 | 4 Shows |
| | Woodlands | 2422871 | 4 Shows |
| *Hangover* | Shanthala | 2427584 | 4 Shows |
| *Ragad* | Thibbadevi | 2452958 | 4 Shows |
| **ENGLISH** | | | |
| *Men in Black: International* | Sangam | 2520494 | 4 Shows |
| *X-Men* | Sterling | 2481170 | 4 Shows |
| **HINDI** | | | |
| *Bharat* | Sri Nagaraj | 2520490 | 4 Shows |
| *De De Pyaar De* | Balaji Deluxe | 2497199 | 4 Shows |
| **TAMIL** | | | |
| *Nenjamundu Nermaiyundu Odu Raja* | | | |
| | Rajkamal | 2423554 | 2 Shows |
| *Suttu Pidikka Utharavu* | Rajkamal | 2423554 | 2 Shows |
| *Mr. Local* | Padma | 2521923 | 4 Shows |
| *Kolaigaran* | Skyline | 2481170 | 4 Shows |
| **TELUGU** | | | |
| *Yama Kantri* | Prabha | 2423569 | 4 Shows |
| ---- | Uma | 2520009 | 4 Shows |

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| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Aladdin (E-3D)* | (S-1) | 10.50 am |
| *I Love You - Nanne Prethse (K)* | (S-1) | 1.20 pm |
| | (S-3) | 11 am, 7.15 pm |
| *Men in Black : International (E-3D)* | (S-1) | 3.45 pm |
| | (S-4) | 11 am, 1.30 pm |
| | | 7.30 pm, 9.55 pm |
| *The Secret Life Of Pets 2 (E)* | (S-1) | 6.05 pm, 8 pm |
| | (S-2) | 11 am |
| *Unda (Ma)* | (S-1) | 9.55 pm |
| *Bharat (H)* | (S-2) | 1.15 pm, 6.55 pm |
| *Amar (K)* | (S-2) | 4.15 pm; |
| | (S-3) | 1.30 pm |
| *Khamoshi (H)* | (S-2) | 9.55 pm |
| *Game Over (Ta)* | (S-3) | 4.45 pm |
| *Game Over (Te)* | (S-3) | 9.55 pm |
| *Maharshi (Te)* | (S-4) | 4.00 pm |

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| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *I Love You - Nanne Prethse (K)* | (S-2) | 10 am, 2.35 pm |
| | | 7.10 pm, 9.45 pm |
| *Men in Black : International (E-3D)* | (S-1) | 9.55 am, 2.25 pm, 9.40 |
| *The Secret Life of Pets 2 (E-3D)* | (S-1) | 12.25 pm, 7.40 pm |
| *Men in Black : International (E)* | (S-3) | 7.00 pm |
| | (S-4) | 12.20 pm, 5.05 pm |
| *The Secret Life of Pets 2 (E)* | (S-2) | 5.10 pm |
| *Amar (K)* | (S-3) | 1.05 pm |
| *Bharat (H)* | (S-3) | 9.55 am, 3.50 pm, 9.30 |
| *Khamoshi (H)* | (S-2) | 12.35 pm |
| *Unda (Ma)* | (S-4) | 9.55 pm |
| *Game Over (Te)* | (S-4) | 10 am, 7.35 pm |
| *Hangover (K)* | (S-4) | 2.50 pm |
| *Aladdin (E-3D)* | (S-1) | 4.55 pm |

### PVR CINEMAS — www.pvrcinemas.com

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|---|---|
| *Khamoshi (H)* | 9.50 am, 7.20 pm |
| *Men in Black: International (E-3D)* | 10.35 am, 5.20 pm, 10 pm |
| *Men in Black: International (E)* | 1.45 pm |
| *I Love You - Nanne Preethse (K)* | 11 am, 4.20 pm, 7 pm, 9.40 pm |
| *The Secret Life of Pets 2 (E)* | 11.30 am |
| *The Secret Life of Pets 2 (E)* | 1.10 pm, 3.15 pm, 7.55 pm |
| *Bharat (H)* | 11.55 am, 6.30 pm |
| *Game Over (Te)* | 1.50 pm |
| *Game Over (Ta)* | 9.30 pm |
| *Virus (Ma)* | 3.15 pm |
| *Amar (K)* | 4.20 pm |
| *Unda (Ma)* | 9.50 pm |

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15 to the film announced here.

# First-of-its-kind Oxygenation procedure now available at Apollo Hospital in city

***Seen are** (from left) **Soumya, patient's husband Venkatesh, patient Savitha, Dr. Nagendra Prakash, Consultant Cardiothoracic Surgeon, Dr. Madhu, Consultant Pulmonologist, Dr. Harish Nayak, Consultant Intensivist, Chandan, Respiratory Therapist and Nurse in-Charge Shilpa at a press meet recently.***

Mysuru, June 18 (KS)- A rare and a life-saving procedure was successfully performed on a patient at Apollo BGS Hospitals, Mysuru, which saved her from death.

The life-saving procedure known as **Extra Corporeal Membrane Oxygenation (ECMO)** was performed by the Pulmonology team led by Dr. K. Madhu, Cardiology team led by Dr. Nagendra Prakash, Intensivists team led by Dr. Harish Nayak and Dr. Ramakrishna along with trained and experienced nurses.

A 36-year-old lady from Malavalli village had come to the hospital with severe cough, fever and breathing difficulties and her symptoms were progressively increasing. She was managed in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU) with high flow oxygen, injectable antibiotics and special medications to bring down the symptoms. She was then put on prone ventilation.

When she did not respond, a novel technology called ECMO was performed on the patient. This is a sophisticated machine which acts like an artificial lung and performs the work of lungs (which is to provide fresh oxygen to blood and removal of carbon-di-oxide from blood).

"ECMO may be understood as dialysis for the lungs, as the machine acts like an artificial lung. ECMO provides rest to the lungs to recover from the illness. ECMO machine provides oxygenation outside the body, unlike in ventilator where the oxygenation is done within the body," said Dr. Madhu, Consultant Pulmonologist, Apollo BGS Hospitals, Mysuru.

"ECMO ventilation attachment was achieved with the help from cardiology team. We inserted various tubes required to carry blood into and out of the ECMO machine, and perfusionists monitored the patient's oxygenation round the clock," says Dr. Nagendra Prakash, Consultant Cardiothoracic Surgeon, Apollo BGS Hospitals, Mysuru.

Dr. Harish Nayak and Dr. Ramakrishna, Consultant Intensivists, Apollo BGS Hospitals, said that the patient started to improve after about 15 days, with strict vigil and prompt intervention by the team of doctors, intensivists, paramedics and nurses.

Patient's husband Venkatesh said that his wife is now fully recovered and is ready to lead a healthy life. He thanked the doctors for providing the ECMO procedure.

"This is a first of its kind procedure in Mysuru which has been successfully performed with the in-house team of pulmonologists, cardiac surgeons, intensivists, respiratory therapists and the nurses. With increasing trends of influenza every year, and with the threat of swine flu causing complications such as in this case, Mysuru now has a full-fledged facility at Apollo BGS Hospitals to treat such cases using ECMO, which was previously only possible in Metro cities," says N.G. Bharateesha Reddy, Vice-President & Unit Head, Apollo BGS Hospitals, Mysuru.

## EVENTS TODAY (JUNE 18)

**Sabarimala Sree Ayyappa Pooja Samithi - Sree Ayyappa Swamy and Sree Guruvayurappan Temple, foot of Chamundi Hill:** Pratishtapana anniversary celebrations, Deeparadhana, Special Pujas with Vadyam, **5.30 pm to 8 pm.**

**Institution of Engineers-India (IEI), Mysuru Local Centre:** Talk on 'Vedic Mathematics' by Vasista Eduventures Director B. Shilpa, IEI Mysuru Chairman Dr. R. Suresh presides, Hon. Secretary D.K. Dinesh Kumar will be present, S.P. Bhat Hall, Institution premises, **6 pm.**

## EVENTS TOMORROW (JUNE 19)

**Sabarimala Sree Ayyappa Pooja Samithi - Sree Ayyappa Swamy and Sree Guruvayurappan Temple, foot of Chamundi Hill:** Pratishtapana anniversary, Ganapati Homa, Udayasthamana Puja to Sri Ayyappa Swamy, and Annadanam, **5.30 am to 11.30 am.**

**Adyatma Siddhi Mahavidyalaya, Mallenahalli, Kanakapura:** Advaita Spiritual programmes, launching of Advaita Jyoti Rath Yatra by scholar Shelvapillai Iyengar, Sri Jayabasavananda Swamiji of Basava Kendra, Chikkamagalur and other religious leaders will grace the occasion, Chamundi Hill, **9 am.**

**Builders' Association of India (BAI), Mysuru Centre:** 'Day with Homemakers' workshop on use of eco-friendly home appliances and products, auditorium of Mysuru Builders Charitable Trust (MBCT), Vishweshwaranagar, **10 am.**

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